

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1,3, 4, 6-8, 10, 11, 14-33 and 35-57 are pending. In a final office action dated December 19, 2006, all claims were rejected. Applicant hereby cancels claims 16-20, 36-43 and 50-57. Claims 1 and 7 are amended to recite features of the claimed invention that are not found in the cited art.

Applicants believe that all pending claims are in condition for allowance and such disposition is requested. In the event that a telephone conversation would further prosecution or expedite allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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